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IMMUNO-AGONIST/ANTAGONIST

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

This paper is filed in response to the Office Communication mailed September 1, 2004, in the above-captioned matter. A shortened statutory period for reply was set to expire one month from the mailing date of the Office Communication. This response is thus timely filed.

Please amend the application as specified below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.